House of Representatives



General Assembly

File No. 252

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Substitute House Joint Resolution No. 20

House of Representatives, March 30, 2006

The Committee on Judiciary reported through REP. LAWLOR of the 99th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the substitute joint resolution ought to be adopted.

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CLAIMS COMMISSIONER TO DENY OR DISMISS CERTAIN CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE.

Resolved by this Assembly:

- 1 Section 1. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner,
- 2 file number 19765 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 3 Allen Adgers on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- 4 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 5 Sec. 2. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 6 number 19768 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 7 Khadasia Alkaul, ppa Carol Pulliam-Alkaul on her claim against the
- 8 state in excess of seven thousand five hundred dollars and that
- 9 permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 10 Sec. 3. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 11 number 19721 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 12 Quran Allen on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand

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- 13 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 14 Sec. 4. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 15 number 19883 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 16 David E. Amara on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 17 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 18 accepted.
- 19 Sec. 5. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 20 numbers 18772 and 18805 of said commissioner, that no award be
- 21 granted to the estate of David Baldwin on its claims against the state in
- 22 excess of seven thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to
- 23 sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 6. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 25 number 19888 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 26 Rahsaan Black on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 27 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 28 accepted.
- 29 Sec. 7. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 30 number 19749 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 31 Tyrone Bonaparte on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 32 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 33 accepted.
- Sec. 8. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 35 number 19752 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Mark
- 36 Bost on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 38 Sec. 9. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 39 number 19780 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 40 Timothy Brelsford on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 41 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 42 accepted.
- 43 Sec. 10. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file

44 number 19682 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Eric

- Brown on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- 46 hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 47 Sec. 11. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 48 number 19812 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 49 Robert A. Brown on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 50 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 51 accepted.
- 52 Sec. 12. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 53 number 19990 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 54 William Burke on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 55 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 56 accepted.
- 57 Sec. 13. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 58 number 20331 of said commissioner, that the claim against the state in
- 59 excess of seven thousand five hundred dollars of Raymond J. Cerilli be
- 60 dismissed, is accepted.
- 61 Sec. 14. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 62 number 19907 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 63 Herschel Collins on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 64 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 65 accepted.
- Sec. 15. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 67 number 19871 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 68 Pedro Cruz on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- 69 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 16. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 71 number 19657 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 72 Dwight Cupe on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- 73 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 17. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file

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75 number 19958 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to

- 76 Richard and Gail Dalby on their claim against the state in excess of
- 77 seven thousand five hundred dollars, is accepted.
- 78 Sec. 18. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 79 number 19875 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 80 Justine Dunn on her claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- 81 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 19. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 83 number 19746 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 84 Maria Guida on her claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- 85 five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 20. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 87 number 19818 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 88 Maurice Gulley on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 89 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 90 accepted.
- 91 Sec. 21. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 92 number 19886 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 93 Leroy Kamil Harris on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- 94 thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 95 accepted.
- 96 Sec. 22. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 97 number 19748 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Eric
- 98 Henry on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- 99 hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 23. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 101 number 19608 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 102 Latone James on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 24. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- number 19800 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to

106 Simone Mayfield on her claim against the state in excess of seven

- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 108 accepted.
- Sec. 25. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 110 number 19736 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- Omar Miller on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- 113 Sec. 26. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 114 number 19885 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 115 Weldon Mobley on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 117 accepted.
- Sec. 27. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 119 number 19661 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 120 Faustin Noel on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 28. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- number 19649 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to U. T.
- 124 Nwachuku on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand
- five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 29. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- number 18874 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- Donna J. Plante on her claim against the state in excess of seven
- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 130 accepted.
- 131 Sec. 30. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 132 number 19820 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 133 Bernard Powell on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 135 accepted.
- Sec. 31. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file

137 number 19681 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Jose

- Rivera on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 32. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 141 number 19672 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 142 Roman Santiago on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 144 accepted.
- Sec. 33. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- 146 number 19887 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to
- 147 Emmanuel Smith on his claim against the state in excess of seven
- thousand five hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is
- 149 accepted.
- 150 Sec. 34. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- number 19146 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Jose
- 152 G. Torres on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- hundred dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is accepted.
- Sec. 35. That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file
- number 19876 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Val
- 156 Volovik on his claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five
- 157 hundred dollars, is accepted.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

JUD Joint Favorable Subst.

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 07 \$	FY 08 \$
Comptroller - Adjudicated Claims	GF - Avoidance of	Significant	Significant
Account; Various State Agencies	Potential Cost	_	_

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The resolution accepts the Claims Commissioner's recommendations to dismiss claims, deny awards or permission to sue in thirty five separate claims against the state. The resolution thereby avoids a potential, significant state cost for any judgments that might be rendered against it since claimants are seeking recovery of more than \$24.5 million in damages in total. It also precludes a workload increase for the Office of the Attorney General and potential significant costs to various state agencies named as defendants in the claims as these agencies would bear any litigation expenses incurred.

The Out Years

There is no fiscal impact in the out years since the resolution resolves these claims.

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OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY:

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Resolutions.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Judiciary Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute Yea 38 Nay 0 (03/13/2006)